

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
for the
Southern District of New York

Qwame Thomas, individually and on behalf of all
others similarly situated

Civil Action No. 19cv1566

Mekruth Inc. d/b/a Amy Ruth's Restaurant, Mitchell Mekles, David Mekles, in their official and individual capacity, and Does 1-50, inclusive

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Defendant(s)

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* David Mekles
113 West 116th Street
New York, NY 10026

2050 Center Ave., Suite 400
Fort Lee, NJ 07024

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: The Ottinger Firm, P.C.

401 Park Ave. S.
9th Floor
New York, NY 10016

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

CLERK OF COURT

Date: February 20, 2019

/S/ S. James

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

A handwritten signature "Lucy A. K." is written over the official seal of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. The seal is circular with a rope-like outer border. Inside the border, the words "UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT" are written in a circular pattern. In the center of the seal is an eagle with its wings spread, perched on a shield. Below the eagle, the text "FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK" is visible.

Civil Action No. _____

PROOF OF SERVICE*(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 (l))*

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* _____
 was received by me on *(date)* _____.

I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
 _____ on *(date)* _____; or

I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
 _____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
 on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
 designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
 _____ on *(date)* _____; or

I returned the summons unexecuted because _____; or

Other *(specify)*: _____

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00 _____.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

*Server's signature**Printed name and title**Server's address*

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc: